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PASS STR ELECTRONICALLY FOR AMBASSADORS STRAUSS AND WOLFF
AND MR. FEKETEKUTY

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ETRD, MTN, CA
SUBJECT: SUGGESTED AGENDA FOR STRAUSS/WARREN DISCUSSIONS
JUNE 19

1. AS A RESULT OF MCDONALD/GREY REVIEW OF JUNE 7, A KEY
CORE OF ISSUES APPEARS TIMELY FOR STRAUSS/WARREN DISCUS-
SIONS ON JUNE 19. THESE SEVEN ISSUES ARE ALL APPROPRIATE
FOR SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSIONS AND POSSIBLE POLITICAL DECIS-
IONS.

2. AGENDA ITEMS FOLLOW:

- -- TARIFFS --

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A. CANADIAN IMPROVEMENTS. CAN CANADA GET AUTHORITY
FROM MINISTERS TO IMPROVE BEFORE THE
END OF JUNE IN ORDER TO CLOSE SUBSTAN-
TIAL GAP BETWEEN U.S. AND CANADIAN
TARIFF OFFERS?

B. MADE IN CANADA. CAN WE DEFINE PARAMETERS, AS PART

OF JULY 15 POLITICAL SETTLEMENT, FOR
RESOLUTION OF THE MADE IN CANADA/
MACHINERY PROGRAM ISSUE? (OBJECTIVE:
FREEZING EXISTING FREE TREATMENT, SPECIFY
OTHER PRODUCTS AND NEGOTIATE DUTY RE-
DUCTIONS OR ELIMINATIONS.)

-- NON-TARIFF MEASURES --

A. CUSTOMS VALUATION. CAN CANADA PARTICIPATE IN
CODE WITHOUT DEROGATIONS AND ACROSS-
THE-BOARD TARIFF ADJUSTMENTS?

B. GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT. WHEN CAN CANADA MAKE
OFFERS ON ENTITIES TO BE COVERED, IN-
CLUDING PROVINCIAL ENTITIES?

C. SUBSIDIES. GUIDELINES ON PERMISSIBLE LEVEL OF
DOMESTIC SUBSIDIES.

-- AGRICULTURE --

A. CAN RESPECTABLE AGRICULTURAL PACKAGE BE STRUC-
TURED BY INCREASING PRESENT CANADIAN
OFFER AND NARROWING SCOPE OF PENDING
CAN. ARTICLE XXVIII ACTION?

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-- FRAMEWORK --

A. EXPORT CONTROLS. CAN CANADA ACCEPT AN OUTCOME
WHICH LARGELY RESTATES CURRENT GATT
OBLIGATIONS BUT DOES PROVIDE EXPLICIT-
LY FOR NONDISCRIMINATORY APPLICATION
OF EXPORT CONTROLS?

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